

# State of Missouri Contracts

## Cooperative Procurement Program

Missouri statutes authorize the Division of Purchasing and Materials Management to provide procurement services through a joint purchasing program to political subdivisions and quasi-public governmental bodies. You must be a member to use these contracts. Attached is the membership form.

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## H-GAC Cooperative Purchasing Program

**HGACBuy** has been serving local governments for more than 30 years--beginning in 1973. Program participants nationwide include 1,600+ municipalities, counties, school/college districts, special districts, and qualifying non-profit corporations that provide one or more governmental functions and services.

All products and services offered by **HGACBuy** have been subjected to either the competitive bid or competitive proposal process, with the H-GAC Board of Directors awarding all contracts.

For additional information e-mail or call toll-free: 800-926-0234 or visit [www.hgacbuy.com](http://www.hgacbuy.com).

### PRODUCTS:

9-1-1 Systems, Equipment & Software

Cars, Vans, Utility Vehicles, Trucks (Lt, Med, Hvy), School Buses

Fire Apparatus, Ambulances & Other EMS Vehicles

Homeland Security: Robots, Detection Equip, Armor, etc.

Construction & Earthmoving

Fleet Services: Lifts, Alignment, Wash, Auto Greasing

Generators: Auxiliary Power & Standby

Grounds & Right-of-Way

Law Enforcement Speed Detection & Video Recording

Radio Communications & Interoperability

Record & Playback, Audio

Refuse Collection: Truck Bodies, Containers, Compactors, Trailers

Rescue & Safety: SCBA's, Portable Defibrillators; Hydraulic Extraction, etc.

Satellite Phones & Equipment

Security Surveillance & Access Control: Cameras, Monitors, Readers, etc.

Sewer Inspection & Cleaning

Street Maintenance: Paving & Sweeping

Traffic Control & Video Enforcement

Trailers, Equipment

## SERVICES

Consulting, Homeland Security, Environmental, Community Planning  
Foodservice Products & Equipment  
Insurance Consulting Svcs (Emp Benefit)  
Lease Purchase Financing  
Marketing, Communication & Creative Consulting Services  
Reverse Auction Procurement Svc  
Videoconferencing Equipment & Services  
Wireless Communication Services (Cell Phones)

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## U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance

[www.uscommunities.org](http://www.uscommunities.org)

- **National Local Government**

U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance has established a national structure for local government agencies to make use of their collective purchasing power and to improve the overall effectiveness of their purchasing processes.

- **Legal Entity**

U.S. Communities is a nonprofit instrumentality of government formed under U.S. Code, Title 26, Internal Revenue Code, Section 115.

U.S. Communities is incorporated in California under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for charitable and public purposes and the State Seal of Incorporation was affixed May 26, 1999.

- **National Sponsors**

The National Sponsors provide national promotion and general sponsorship among participants.

National Sponsors include:

- Association of School Business Officials International (ASBO)
- National Association of Counties (NACo)
- National Institute of Governmental Purchasing (NIGP)
- National League of Cities
- United States Conference of Mayors

- **Advisory Board**

The U. S. Communities Advisory Board is made up of key government purchasing officials from across the United States. The Advisory Board provides leadership and overall direction for the U.S. Communities.

- **Advisory Board Expectations**

Each Advisory Board Member is expected to actively:

- Participate in product bids and selection;
- Use selected products;
- Promote U.S. Communities;
- Participate in policy direction; and
- Share expertise and purchasing innovations.

- **Savings**

- No user fees
- Saves time and money

- Frees resources for other public priorities, programs and services
- **Competitively Solicited**
  - Offers competitively solicited government contracts
  - Meets most government agency "piggybacking" requirements
- **Nationally Sponsored**
  - Founded by:
    - Association of School Business Officials International (ASBO)
    - National Association of Counties (NACo)
    - National Institute of Governmental Purchasing (NIGP)
    - National League of Cities (NLC)
    - United States Conference of Mayors (USCM)
  - Supported by National Network of State County & Municipal Associations
- **Directed by Public Purchasing Professionals**
  - National Advisory Board of Public Purchasing Professionals
  - Guide Program Direction and Select Products
  - Initiate and Manage Competitive Solicitations
- **Aggregate Purchasing Power**
  - Combines Potential Purchasing Power of up to 87,000 Local Agencies
  - Expands Purchasing Choices Beyond State Boundaries
  - Over **17,000\*** Currently Participating Public Agencies in 50 States, Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.
- **Quality Products**
  - Office/School Supplies
  - Office Furniture
  - Technology Products
  - Electrical, Comm & Data Supplies
  - Janitorial Supplies
  - School Furniture
  - Carpet and Flooring
  - Office Machines
  - Park and Playground
  - P.E. Equipment
  - Homeland Security Solutions
  - MRO Supplies
  - Apparel and Promotional Products
  - Roofing Supplies & Services
  - Auto Parts & Accessories